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SUBJ: APPOINTMENT WITH TREASURY SECRETARY SIMON
FOR GOS FINANCE MINISTER

1. EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS THAT SPAIN, THROUGH ITS ALTERNATE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR ON IMF (JOSE LUIS MORA), HAS REQUESTED APPOINTMENT WITH TREASURY SECRETARY SIMON FOR GOS FINANCE MINISTER CABELLO DE ALBA DURING LATTER'S ATTENDANCE IMF ANNUAL MEETING AS GOVERNOR OF FUND FOR SPAIN. CABELLO DE ALBA, WHO IS ONE OF THREE VICE PRESIDENTS OF GOS AS WELL AS MINISTER OF FINANCE, IS HIGHLY INFLUENTIAL IN DETERMINING SPANISH FISCAL, MONETARY, AND TRADE POLICIES, ALL OF WHICH HAVE ASSUMED INCREASED IMPORTANCE IN VIEW OF WORRISOME SPANISH BALANCE OF PAYMENTS DEFICIT.

2. IN VIEW OF CABELLO DE ALBA'S IMPORTANT ROLE AND SPANISH COOPERATION WITH US ON MONETARY AND ENERGY MATTERS, IT WOULD BE MOST HELPFUL IF SECRETARY SIMON COULD FIND TIME TO RECEIVE HIM.
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